

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

October 28, 2005

IN RE:


**APPLICATION OF COMM SOUTH COMPANIES, INC.
FOR AUTHORITY TO RESELL INTEREXCHANGE
LONG DISTANCE SERVICES IN TENNESSEE**

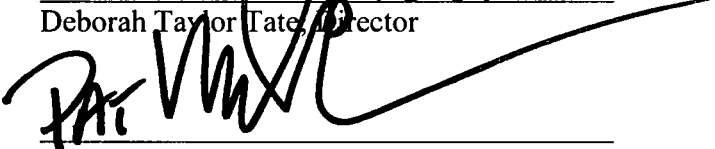
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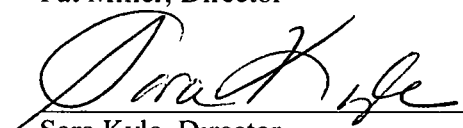
**ORDER GRANTING CANCELLATION OF AUTHORITY
TO PROVIDE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES**

This matter came before Director Deborah Taylor Tate, Director Pat Miller and Director Sara Kyle of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("TRA"), the voting panel assigned to this docket, at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on October 17, 2005. Comm South Companies, Inc (the "Company") originally filed an Application for authority to resell interexchange long distance services in Tennessee on July 8, 2003. During a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on December 8, 2003, the Directors found that the Company had met all the requirements for certification and the requirements of Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 1220-4-2- 57, which was promulgated pursuant to, *inter alia*, Tenn. Code Ann § 65-2-102 and Tenn. Code Ann § 65-4-201, and approved the Application. On October 6, 2005, the Company requested that the TRA cancel its authority effective December 12, 2005. Based upon careful consideration of the entire record of this matter, the panel voted unanimously to grant the Company's request to cancel its authority effective December 12, 2005.

IT IS SO ORDERED.


Deborah Taylor Tate, Director


Pat Miller, Director


Sara Kyle, Director